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BIG MEN TO FRAME NEW CONSTITUTION

CONFERENCE AT KANSAS CITY FIRST STEP IN THAT DIRECTION

TO KEEP POLITICS OUT

State Chairman of Both Parties and Others to Confer Friday on Delegates

The first step toward selection of delegates for the coming state constitutional convention on the basis of their ability, instead of their political connections, will be taken following the meeting of the New Constitutional Association of Missouri at Kansas City next Friday. C. E. Yancey of Liberty, chairman of the Democratic State Committee; Dr. E. B. Clements of Macon, chairman of the Republican State Committee, and John M. Atkinson, chairman of the special constitution committee of the State Bar Association will confer for that purpose. The conference was to have been held earlier, but was deferred because of Yancey's absence from the state.

While the constitutional amendment adopted last November specified that one of the two delegates from each of the thirty-four senatorial districts must be a Republican and the other a Democrat, it is desired to elect representatives of these parties regardless of their political pull or affiliations. Clements has suggested that party leaders co-operate with the Bar Association and the New Constitution Association in obtaining this result, and the forth coming conference is partly in pursuance of his idea.

Charles M. Hays of St. Louis, Democrat, said he considered it vital that strong men be chosen as both Democratic and Republican delegates.

"They should be concerned more about the sort of constitution to be framed than about politics," Hay said. "I believe that Democrats like John M. Atkinson, who has been a leader in the movement for a new constitution from the start; former Gov. Gardner, Frederick W. Lehmann W. Frank Carter, and former Senator Wilfley, would be good men to go as delegates from St. Louis. Mrs. W. W. Martin of Cape Girardeau, would well represent the women. Former State Representative Nick Cave of Callaway County and a man like Elliott Jones of Kansas City would be a credit to the state in the convention.

W. C. Pierce of Maryville has been suggested as a candidate for delegate at-large by the Republicans. It is not known whether he will accept the place. Many of his friends from over the state have urged him to run.

M. E. Ford of this city has been talked as the Democratic candidate for delegate to the convention from this senatorial district. This senatorial district is now composed of Nodaway, Atchison, Holt, Andrew, Gentry, Worth and DeKalb.

Miss Millie Harkness of Burlington Junction was in Maryville yesterday.

Electric Theatre

Last Time Tonight
BEBE DANIELS in
"TWO WEEKS WITH PAY"
The story of little different kind of vacation. Also a comedy. Night 7:30 and 9:00—11c and 22c.

Wed. and Thurs., Aug. 31 and Sept. 1.
MAY ALLISON in
"EXTRAVAGANCE"
A special Metro production from the story by Ben Ames Williams, "More Stately Mansions," in Good Housekeeping. Matinee at 3:00—11c and 22c; night 7:30 and 9:00—11c and 22c.

It's a Scream!

THE ORIOLE

By Booth Tarkington

¶ Herbert Atwater and Henry Rooter, each thirteen, received a printing press. That was the genesis of a journalistic enterprise. Just why the name "Oriole" was selected for the newspaper is not clear; certainly not out of sentiment for the distant city of Baltimore nor for any interest in birds. But every journal must have a name and "Oriole" seemed good to the budding editors.

¶ Imagine the trouble and the ludicrous complications which arose from a medium of publicity in the hands of two bright lads who suffered from no censorship and whose watchword was truth—too much truth for some of the residents of the community.

¶ Things happened with great rapidity, especially after the young proprietors determined to exclude Herbert's cousin Florence from the enterprise, and that young miss with equal determination decided she would have a finger in it.

¶ Did Florence succeed in joining the staff? Indeed she did! She got something on the editors and she held it over their heads direfully, with the result that she became the whole thing on The Oriole and the erstwhile bosses, rueful and unwilling, her hired men.

¶ With The Oriole completely dominated by feminism, it becomes the funniest story you have ever read.

A Serial for these columns. Don't miss it!

First installment will appear Friday.

MRS. JANE DUKES, AGED PARNELL WOMAN, DIES

Funeral Is Held at Dunkard Church This Afternoon—Was 87 Years Old.

Funeral services for Mrs. Jane Dukes, who died Monday morning at 1 o'clock at her home, 2 miles northeast of Parnell, were held at 2 o'clock this afternoon at the Dunkard church, conducted by the Rev. C. R. Green of the Harmony church. Burial was in the McLaughlin cemetery.

Mrs. Dukes was 87 years old. Surviving her are six children, four sons, Perry, Thomas, Charles and Joseph Dukes, and two daughters, Mrs. Butch Dixon and Mrs. Marion Pope, all living in and near Parnell.

CHAUTAUQUA AT HOPKINS TO OPEN THIS AFTERNOON

Big Day of Five Day Program will be Thursday with "The Bubble" a Feature Play.

The Hopkins Chautauqua opens its five day program this afternoon with a concert by the Charmian Concert Party. This afternoon the children will organize their Junior Town, and tonight there will be a prelude by the Charmian Concert Party and a lecture, "America's Tomorrow," by Dr. John Marvin Dean.

The program tomorrow includes a concert by the Di Giorgio Orchestra in the afternoon, and a lecture in the evening by Wherahiko Rawei, whose subject is 'A Gentle Breeze From Tropic Seas." The orchestra will give a prelude. The third day of the program, Thursday, is expected to be the big day of Chautauqua. Oney Fred Sweet of the Chicago Tribune will give his lecture, "In the Other Fellow's Shoes," and in the evening an all-star eastern cast will present "The Bubble," an attraction said to be better than "Broadway Jones" at the Chautauqua here.

T. E. McDonald, platform manager of the Hopkins Chautauqua, was in Maryville this morning. He visited Maryville several years ago, when he was advance man for the Redpath-Vawter company.

ATTENTION

All members of the Men's Bible Class of the Christian church of Maryville, who wish to attend the rally and banquet to be given by the Men's Bible Class of the Christian church of Skidmore, Wednesday evening the 31st, will please meet at the church at 7 o'clock sharp. All who will go, please notify F. D. Miller or A. L. Nash, by 10 o'clock Wednesday if possible.

BY ORDER OF THE COMMITTEE.

ROUND-UP SEPT. 14, 15, 16 AT QUITMAN

SAM LANDESS OF PENOLTON, ORE. TO BE IN CHARGE

SAME AS AT ST. JOSEPH

Twenty Cowboys Will Ride, Rope, and Bulldog At Green Township Homecoming

An added attraction for Green Township's Third Annual Homecoming Celebration to be held at Quitman September 14, 15, and 16, was announced today by Secretary G. J. Hickerson. His announcement is as follows:

"We have contracted with the Sam Landess of Penolton, Ore., for a "Round-Up" on the last two days of our Third Annual celebration, to be held September 14-15-16. He will bring twenty cowboys from all over the United States and fifty wild broncos and wild steers from Penolton, Ore., Twenty head of outlaw horses are to be furnished from the R. I. Bliby ranch and twenty head of broncos from the Billy Jim Patterson ranch.

Practically all the riders who participate in the round up at St. Joseph will be on hand at Quitman September 15 and 16 to present exhibitions of wild bronco riding, wild steer riding, fancy roping, bulldogging steers and other interesting and thrilling sports of the West.

"The Homecoming this year now promises to be the largest that we have ever had, will have such features as:

Frontier Days and Round Up, Fletcher Stock Co., all week. The Whitesides, Aerial Rerobats, Steam Calliope Comedy platform and Juggling Acts. Immense barbecue, last day. Professional wrestling matches. Merry-go-round, side shows, all concessions, free ice water."

ROY MAYES WINS FROM MALOTTE; LOSES TO MOON

Makes High Run, 29, of Pool Tournament—Reynolds Still Leading.

Roy Mayes played two matches last night in the pool tournament being played at Yeo Brothers Smoke House. He lost the first to Earl Moon and won the second from Dr. K. R. Malotte.

Moon defeated Mayes, 100 to 58, and had the high run of 13. Mayes showed a complete reversal of form in his second match, however, winning from Dr. Malotte, 100 to 79. His high run of 20 is also high run for the toruna-ment thus far. He also made a run of 16.

Floyd Reynolds is still high man in the tournament, with two games won and none lost.

BODY OF ARTHUR T. GRAVES HAS ARRIVED IN NEW YORK

Was Killed in Argonne Forest in 1918—Corpse to Burlington Junction This Week.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Graves of Burlington Junction have received word that the body of their son, Arthur T. Graves, who was killed in France, has arrived at New York. The body will arrive at Burlington Junction this week. The funeral arrangements will be made after its arrival.

Arthur T. Graves enlisted at Maryville on October 3, 1917, and entered the service at Camp Funston in Company L of the Eighty-Ninth Division. He was later transferred to Company H of the Thirty-Second Division and was with that regiment when he was killed in battle in the Argonne Forest on October 14, 1918. He was then 23 years old. He was born in Quitman, March 10, 1895. A grandfather, Thomas Graves, and an uncle, Johathan Graves served in the Civil War.

Printers Get $.52 Raise

Bloomington, Aug. 30.—Printers, who have been on a strike here since July 1, returned to work today. The men were granted a forty-four hour week and $.52 per week increase.

NOTICE TO SUBSCRIBERS.

All monthly city subscriptions are now due. These must be paid in advance the first of the month to get the monthly rate. Be sure to pay only your carrier boy, who is authorized to collect, or at this office.

The Democrat-Forum.

PRELIMINARY HEARING FOR ELMO MEN IS TOMORROW

Elmer Hamilton is Released on $8,000 Bond at Clarinda—George and Walter Huff, $5,000

Elmer Hamilton and George and Walter Huff, young men who live near Elmo, will have their preliminary hearing at Clarindia, Ia., at 9 o'clock tomorrow morning on charge of robbing "Uncle Billy" Kramer and his son, Ed Kramer, of near Shambaugh, Ia. A. M. Lucas has also been arrested, charged with complicity in the robbery, and will have his preliminary hearing at the same time.

The men were arraigned before Justice C. W. Stewart at Clarinda late yesterday afternoon. Hamilton's bond was fixed at $8,000, the Huff brothers at $5,000 and that of Lucas at $3,0000. Sheriff Steve Roach and W. W. Randall attended the hearing.

The four men are charged with entering the Kramer home near Shambaugh, binding both father and son and stealing about $50. They then left a note in the rural mail box directing the mail carrier to go into the house and release the two men, it is charged.

JURY FINDS WREN KILLED HAMMOND

INQUEST FORMALLY CHARGES GOWER MAN WITH MURDER

BODY TAKEN FROM GRAVE

Death Caused by Bullet Fired From Gun in Hands of Raymond Wren, Verdict Says.

Raymond (Mike) Wren was formally charged with the murder of Ross U. Hammond by a coroner's jury which met today at Clarinda, holding an inquest of the exhumed body of the murdered man.

The inquest began at 10 o'clock this morning and ended about 1:25 o'clock. The jury required only a few minutes of deliberation to reach a verdict, which read in part as follows:

"We do find that said deceased came to his death by a bullet wound in the head, fired from a gun in hands of Raymond Wren.

(Signed) JACK WEST,
A. J. MOORE,
H. L. KENNEY.

"We further do find," continued the verdict, "that he came to his death feloniously and that a crime has been committed on deceased and that Raymond Wren is the person whom the jury believes has committed it."

This part of the verdict was signed by the jury and attested by Coroner R. E. Harmon.

One bullet was found in Hammond's head when the body was taken from its grave at Clarinda. It was fired from a .32 caliber revolver.

A number of witnesses were called at the inquest, and the taking of testimony lasted more than three hours. The defendant did not testify. Mrs. Anna Hammond, mother of the murdered man, did not attend the inquest. There were no new or startling developments.

Wren's preliminary hearing has been set for September 6. He is confined in the Page County Jail at Clarinda without bond. He has retained Mytton and Parkinson of St. Joseph as his attorneys and is expected to make a strong fight for acquittal or a light esntence, although it is not known what his defense will be. His father is wealthy.

Mrs. Mary A. Ringgold has returned from Stanberry where she attended the camp meeting and conference of the Church of God which closed Sunday night after a ten days' session. Mrs. Ringgold was a delegate to the conference from the local church. She also visited in King City with a nephew while away.

RUMMAGE SALE

The ladies of the St. Patrick church will hold a rummage sale Friday and Saturday, September 2 and 3 in the building on East Third street formerly occupied by the I. V. A. hotel.

THIRD DEGREE WORK

Wednesday evening, Aug. 31
8 p. m.
M. A. Peery, W. M.
Nodaway Lodge 470
A. F. & A. M.

HARDING DECLINES TO CALL PARLEY

REFUSES TO SUMMON COAL OPERATORS AND MINERS.

WANT FEDERAL TROOPS

Governor E. F. Morgan Telegraphs Appeal for U. S. Soldiers in West Virginia.

Washington, Aug. 30. — President Harding today declined to call a joint conference of the West Virginia coal operators and miners as suggested by John Lewis, president of the United Mine Workers of America, in an attempt to settle conditions in Mingo county.

The president has not yet reached a decision on the ten renewed appeal of Goveronr Morgan that the fedeal government intervene in the treatened disorders in West Virginia.

Charleston, W. Va., Aug. 30.—Gov. E. F. Morgan at midnight telegraphed an appeal to President Harding to send federal troops into West Virginia.

Reiterating that large forces are again leaving the Cabin Creek district tonight for the Logan border, Gov. E. F. Morgan sent a statement to Washington at midnight addressed to both President Harding and Secretary Weeks, explaining the situation in which he says:

"On Little Coal River in the vicinity of Sharples, Clothier, Blair and Madison, armed men in excess of fifteen hundred have refused to disperse when requested by representatives of federal and state governments.

"We have information that several hundred men from coal field of other states are gathered with these insurrectionists in the Little Coal River section. This element has threatened the lives of officers of the United Mine Workers of this district who has asked them to disperse.

"Adjutant General Charnock has just returned from the vicinity of Sharples, where he commanded the insurrectionists to disperse, but they have refused and are maintaining armed patrols on the roads and have seized a passenger train on the Chespeake & Ohio railroad to transport re-enforcements to their camps. They have cut telephone wires and refused to allow their replacement and they continue to defy constituted authority.

"Large forces are again leaving Cabin Creek district tonight for the Logan border and have destroyed all communication on that creek.

"The men now assembled in Logan from McDowell, Mingo and Logan counties, to resist the invasion will be utterly unable to repel the attack.

"Because of the imminent danger of great loss of life * * * I most respectfully renew my request for federal troops to be sent forthwith to West Virginia for the purpose of quelling the insurrection and disarming those engaged in it."

Williamson, W. Va., Aug. 30.—Indictments charging murder were yesterday returned by a special grand jury against C. F. Keeney, president, and Fred Mooney, secretary of district 17, United Mine Workers of America, and Dave Robb, international organizer for the Mine Workers' union.

Keeney and Mooney were indicted separately and jointly charged with having killed two men last May. The indictment against Robb is for the killing of William McCullen, a state trooper.

Charlestown, Aug. 30.—A big battle is reported imminent today near Blair, Logan county, between three thousand armed miners and deputy sheriffs, state police and citizen volunteers. The camp of the invading miners is reported to be near Blair.

Logan, Aug. 30.—Miners are gathering over the ridge from here today. They seem restless and uncertain, says a message to the general headquarters of the Logan defense. Various estimates place the strength of the band from 400 upwards.

Madison, Aug. 30.—The striking miners, who last week abandoned their march from Market to Mingo county, have again left their homes and are moving into Logan county in bands numbering from one dozen to 200, County Prosecutor Mullens announced today.

LABOR CHARGES CONGRESS RESPONSIBLE FOR JOBLESS

Conspiracy Has Caused Unemployment of Six Million Workers, Says A. F. of Labor.

Washington, Aug. 30.—In a sensational report today, the legislative committee of the American Federation of Labor, charges a conspiracy by Congress to cause unemployment and declares that Congress is responsible for the jobless condition of six million workers. Hunger parades are predicted by the report, which declares that they will come as a result of "these constructive and reactionary policies of the Congress."

SAVED FROM DEATH ON TEETH OF SAW

FRIEND CATCHES PARNELL MAN AS HE FALLS.

ARM IS NEARLY SEVERED

Muscles, Tendons, Nerves Torn Out by Jagged Blade, But Doctors Avoid Amputation.

Lawrence Foland, young Parnell farmer, is in a serious condition at St. Francis Hospital as the result of injuries received yesterday when he fell on a buzz saw. His right arm was badly lacerated and may have to be amputated.

Foland was helping saw wood on the farm of Ed Carroll, near the Grand River. He was trying to tighten a loose nut on the power saw, when his foot slipped and he fell on the jagged circular blade. The saw had been started by mistake before Foland flinshed making the adjustment.

One of the workmen caught Foland as he fell toward the saw, and prevented him from falling bodily across the whirling teeth. His arm was badly torn, and he lost much blood before he could be taken the six miles to Parnell, where the injury was dressed by a doctor. He was later brought to the hospital here.

The saw entered Foland's arm just below the elbow, and the flesh from the elbow to the wrist was badly torn. Muscles, nerves and tendons were torn out, according to physicians who attended the wounded man this afternoon. Amputation will probably not be necessary but Foland can never regain complete use of the arm, the doctors say.

VESSEL'S CAPTAIN REFUSES HELP AND CREW PERISHES

Driftwood All That Is Left of Canadian Importer With Forty on Board.

San Francisco, Aug. 30.—Driftwood and broken spars are all that mark the spot where the wrecked ship, Canadian Importer, was last seen 300 miles west of Eureka. The vessel was discovered floating helplessly last Thursday but refused two offers by the steamship Cordova, the captain claiming that his ship was in good shape.

One boat load of the crew put out in an open boat in an effort to reach the coast after the Canadian Importer became disabled August 19, but no trace of them has been found.

H. P. McCLARY KNOWN HERE DIES AT HOME IN VERMONT

Word has been received in Maryville of the death of H. P. McClary, father of Harvey McClary of St. Joseph, formerly of Maryville, which occurred yesterday afternoon at his home in Windsor, Vt. Mr. McClary has been spending his vacation at his father's home and was with him at the time of his death, which was sudden. Mr. McClary was known in Maryville, having visited his son here several times.

Read Democrat-Forum Want Ads.

CELEBRATION WILL BE ONLY ONE DAY

CENTENNIAL AND SOLDIER REUNION WILL BE SEPT. 7.

A SOLDIER'S COMMITTEE

Will Announce Feature to Take Place of "No Man's Land" and "Over the Top."

Combining two days' attractions into one, Maryville's centennial celebration and soldiers' reunion will be held on Wednesday, September 7, instead of the two days, Wednesday and Thursday, it was decided at a meeting of the directing committee this morning.

The change was made necessary when it became evident that it would be impractical to secure the equipment necessary for staging the "No Man's Land and Over the Top" spectacle planned for the evening of the second day. The plans called for the use of guns, ammunition and other equipment to be furnished by the government, and the War Department granted the request for the materials. When the committee went to Fort Crook, Neb., to complete the arrangements, it was found that the nearest shipping point would be the Rock Island, Ill., arsenal, and that the cost of bringing the heavy guns would be prohibitive. The officials at Fort Crook also advised the committee that the regular government ammunition and equipment would not make the spectacular display which the committee desired.

Although the entertainment which will be provided will be as wide and varied as at the average two day celebration, it decided this morning to compress it all into the one day. There was no place left, however, for the living pictures and that feature has been eliminated.

Other centennial features will be retained on the one-day program. There will be the unveiling ceremonies at the granite boulder marking the site of Maryville's first house, and the big historical parade will be a big feature of the afternoon.

The soldiers' part of the day has been put in the hands of a committee of the soldiers themselves. It is composed of Paul Sisson, Dr. R. C. Person, Henderson Aley and Loren Schnabel. They will complete the plans for entertaining the soldiers and will announce them soon. The committees in charge of the big free dinner at noon have already practically finished the necessary preliminary arrangements.

FUNERAL SERVICES FOR 86 YEAR OLD VETERAN HELD

David B. Bennett Buried in White Oak Cemetery Yesterday Morning.

Funeral services for David B. Bennett, a Civil War veteran, and a resident of Nodaway county for fifty-two years, were held yesterday morning at 10:30 o'clock at the home of his daughter, Mrs. John Gray, near Clearmont. Burial was in White Oak cemetery.

Mr. Bennett, who was 86 years old, died Saturday morning at his daughter's home after a five weeks' illness resulting from a broken hip. He is survived by eight children, as follows: Mrs. John Gray, Clearmont, William Bennett, Philipsburg, Mont., John and George Bennett, Alberta, Canada, Mrs. Etta Morehouse, Rapid City, South Dakota, Marion Bennett, Rapid City, Mrs. Dora Bauer, Sturgis, South Dakota, and Charles Bennett of Srutia, Colo.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Henderson and children, Viola, Dorothy and Mary Elizabeth, Mrs. John C. Burns and Mrs. E. W. Willoughby will motor to Savannah Thursday to attend the Andrew County Fair which opened yesterday.

THE WEATHER

Generally fair tonight and Wednesday; continued warm.

EMPIRE THEATRE TONIGHT

MAE MURRY

Supported by David Powell in a story adapted from the French play,

"THE RIGHT TO LOVE."

Also Sunshine Comedy tonight.

Tomorrow night, Anita Stewart in "The Yellow Room."

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LARGEST CIRCULATION IN NODAWAY COUNTY

Washington from the Side Lines

Washington, Aug. 30—(Capital News Service).—One of the interesting characters of the National Capital today is Mrs. John A. Logan, widow of the famous civil war general whose activities even at the advanced age of 83 is an inspiration to all who know of her daily life. Mrs. Logan has lived through four wars—the Mexican, the civil, the Spanish-American and the world war. Always plain and unassuming, she has, however, enjoyed experiences during her long life which come to few persons in that she attended the coronation of the czar and the kaiser and on a visit to England had tea with Victoria in Buckingham Palace.

That persons who live in Washington are subject to the processes of federal courts only doubtless is not generally known, but this is a fact, due to the District of Columbia being a Federal territory. From the police court on up to the supreme court of the District, all are under the operations of judges and other attaches named either by the President or some other government executive. As the impression is general that federal courts grind more relentlessly than state or local courts, and this is accepted as a fact by many, the residents of the District are at all times subject to courts which grind out justice without fear or favor.

Another interesting fact known to but few people is that there is no city of Washington in reality. The National Capital is located in the District of Columbia, and there is a post office in the District named after the Father of His Country, but in the same District there are other postoffices like Anacostia, Takoma Park, etc. In proceedings even in the local or municipal courts papers are made out in the name of the District of Columbia, not Washington, and the same is true of tax bills, due to the fact there is no real municipality in the usually accepted sense of the word.

Will Teach in Guilford

Mrs. Myrl Heaton will leave Saturday for Guilford, where she will teach in the grade school this year. Mrs. Heaton is a graduate of Maryville High School and attended the State Teachers' College this summer.

To Teach at Independence.

Ferd Masters has accepted a position as instructor of manual training and athletics in the grade schools of Independence. The Independence schools will open September 12.

To Visit New Granddaughter

Mrs. L. J. Schnabel, Sr., and Mrs. Ed Marsh, mother and sister of Loren S. Schnabel, arrived at noon today from Ionia, Mo., for a visit with Mr. and Mrs. Schnabel and baby daughter, Nancy Ellen.

Where Dollars go Farthest

Don't count the cost of education; ignorance is more expensive than learning. Dean Mumford of the Missouri College of Agriculture says the training of a trotting horse may continue for two or three years; and the winning is accomplished in two or three minutes.

Chicken Dinner.

A chicken dinner will be given at 6 o'clock Friday evening, September 2, by Mrs. Mary Smith and Mrs. Clara Page at the home of Mrs. Page, 805 N. Buchanan St., for the benefit of Mt. Zion Baptist Church.

Iles McNeill of Maitland was in Maryville yesterday on business.

E. C. Kinman of Elmo was in Maryville yesterday on business.

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Our expert graduate Optometric will diagnose your eye trouble and tell you what you need. The service is free at

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822 North Main St.

JAPAN'S ROYAL ARTIST

The Countess Agasawa, sister to the empress of Japan, is shown in a corner of her home surrounded by her own work. The countess is both a painter and a sculptor, and has won fame outside of her official rank through her artistry.

HARDING RECOGNIZES RIGHT OF FARMERS TO ORGANIZE

President Says Prosperous Agriculture Demands More Efficiency in Marketing.

"Our Common Country," is the title of a book just issued from the presses of the Bobbs-Merrill Company. The author of the book is Warren G. Harding. The attitude of the President of the United States towards the farmers' movement in America as represented by the American Farm Bureau Federation and the U. S. Grain Growers may be ascertained from the following excerpts from Chapter LV on "American Agriculture:"

"I believe that the American people, through their government and otherwise, not only in behalf of the farmer but in behalf of their own welfare, and the pocketbooks of the consumers of America, will encourage, make lawful, and stimulate co-operative buying, co-operative distribution, and co-operative selling of farm products. * * *

"But of late years there have sprung up farmer organizations of a quite different sort—organizations with a very large membership, with an aggressive and intelligent leadership, and with a way of raising whatever funds they may find necessary to promote the interest of their members. The leaders of these organizations are learning rapidly how to adapt to their work the methods which business men and working men have found successful in furthering their own interests. The fruit-growers of the western coast have become so strong that they are now able not only to do away with many of the expenses heretofore paid to others, but also to influence the price of their products. The grain growers of the west and northwest have become strong enough to bring about many changes they desired in the marketing of their crops. The farmers of the corn belt states are rapidly perfecting the most powerful organization of farmers ever known in this country. All of these are natural developments in the evolving change of relationship and the modern complexities of productivity and exchange.

"It is more than conceivable, it is apparent, that we are able to deal more wisely and more justly with our agriculture than we have in the past. Unless we do deal more fairly there may come a conflict between the organized farmers in the surplus producing states and those who insist on buying their crops below production costs. We have witnessed the restricted production of manufactures and of labor, but we have not yet experienced the intentionally restricted production of foodstuffs. Let us hope we never may. It is our business to produce and conserve, not to deny, deprive or destroy. * * *

"The right of farmers to form co-operative associations for the marketing of their products must be granted. The concert of agriculture is as essential to farms as a similar concert of action is to factories. A prosperous agriculture demands not on efficiency in production, but efficiency in marketing. Through co-operative associations the route between the producer and the consumer can and must be shortened. Wasteful effort can and will be avoided. Unnecessary expense can and must be eliminated. It is to the advantage of all of our people that every possible improvement be made in our methods of getting the products of farms into the hands of the people who consume them."

More Rioting in Belfast.

Belfast, Aug. 30.—The most serious rioting in months broke out last night and was renewed today. Police and military detachments were engaged in subduing the snipers posted on roofs. Many Queen Street houses were set on fire.

SHOUSE CHAIRMAN FOR WILSON FOUNDATION

Kansas City Man Will Organize Movement to Perpetuate Ideals of Ex-President.

New York, Aug. 30.—Appointment of Hon. Jouett Shouse of Kansas City, formerly assistant Secretary of the Treasury, to serve as chairman in Missouri for the Woodrow Wilson Foundation, was announced today by Franklin D. Roosevelt. Mr. Roosevelt is national chairman of the committee in charge of raising a popular fund for endowing an annual award in ex-President Wilson's name. The appointment was said to have been among the first for the forty-eight state organizations which are to present an appeal to the public late in October.

Mr. Roosevelt also announced that the specific purpose of the Foundation and the award, had been defined by the executive committee in the following terms:

"Created by public subscription in recognition of the national and international services of Woodrow Wilson, twice president of the United States, who furthered the cause of human freedom and was instrumental in pointing out effective methods for the co-operation of the liberal forces of mankind throughout the world.

"The Award or Awards from the income of the Foundation will be made from time to time by a nationally constituted committee to the individual or group that has rendered within a specified period, meritorious service to democracy, public welfare, liberal thought or peace through justice.

Hamilton Holt, editor of the Independent, who is acting as executive director of the Foundation, is carrying on the work of organization along non-partisan lines, aiming merely to provide an opportunity for a public tribute to the cause of liberalism. National headquarters have been established at 150 Nassau street, New York.

News from St. Francis Hospital

Mrs. Fred Newlon and baby son, and Mrs. Fred Harvey and baby son were removed to their homes this morning both women being in excellent condition.

Mainard Vert, who has been taking treatment at the hospital for an infected hand and arm, was able to return to his home today

The condition of Henry Boedecker of Parnell, who recently underwent an operation for appendicitis, is improved.

The condition of Mrs. Ben Holtman of Ravenwood, a patient at the hospital, is satisfactory.

Lawrence Foland of Parnell was admitted to the hospital last evening for treatment for an injured arm which was caught in a buzz saw.

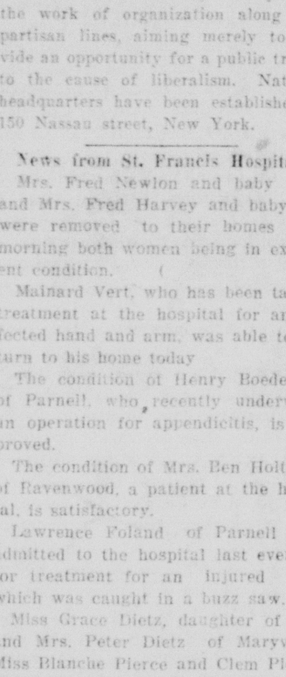
Miss Grace Dietz, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Peter Dietz of Maryville, Miss Blanche Pierce and Clem Pierce of Stanberry, and Eldon Huls of Clearmont undewent tonsil and adenoid operations this morning.

Steers Bring Good Price.

Stewart and sons, Nodaway county stockmen, sold twenty-three steers averaging 1,164 pounds, on the St. Joseph market yesterday at $8.85.

Read Democrat-Forum Want Ads.

NICKEL PLATE COFFEE



A combination of strictly fancy coffees of absolute uniformity of RICHNESS AND FLAVOR
AT YOUR GROCER'S

TOWNSEND WHOLESALE GROCERY CO.

What the Missouri Farmers are Doing

One of the first works of R. L. Furry, the new county Agent in McDonald county, was to organize a co-operative live stock shipping association at Jane, one of the towns in McDonald county.

A number of the counties not previously reported, have held local hearing to determine "What Ails Agriculture?" Chief among these are Johnson and St. Francois counties

Farm Bureau members of Stoddard county have recently made series of visits over the county to "see how the other fellows manage and feeds his hogs." The tour was a big success.

The St. Charles County Farm Bureau has re-employed John F. Nicholson as county agent of that county for another year. The appointment dates from August 1.

Cream producers of Harrison county, aided and abbetted by Glen Hensthere, have organized Cream Producley, the enterprising county agent ers' Association and by raising the quality of their product have recently signed a contract to dispose of all their cream at prices far above anything local dealers will pay.

Farmers living near Kennett in Dunklin county took their dinners and inspected the experiment fields on the King farm near that city last Monday.

The Southeast Missouri Agricultural Bureau has opened its exhibit in the Union Station at St. Louis. The organization intends to conduct a five-year campaign to colonize Southeast Missouri, the farmers and business men of eight counties having financed the project.

In Illinois, the Farm Bureau membership fee is in most counties $15 a year and in some of those $15 counties there are a thousand members and three agents are employed, a general agent, a marketing specialist and a home demonstrator, and in some a specialist in boys and girls club work also is employed. The fee in Ill. is split as follows: $10 for the county, $4.50 for the state federation and 50 cents for the A. F. B. F.

The annual picnic and chicken barbecue of the Dunklin County Farm Bureau will be held September 6.

Will Use Missouri Ideas

To get new ideas for the work of his own institution, Prof. Chas. H. Stumberg, M. U. '89, came all the way from Louisiana State University to see the state fair exhibit of the University of Missouri. The exhibits that filled the University Building at the Missouri State Fair this year attracted wide and favorable notice.

Wadleys to Iowa.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Wadley left this morning in their car for Waterloo, Ia., where they will be guests for a week or ten days of Mrs. Wadley's uncle, David Harrison, and family.

JAPAN'S WAR MINISTER

Lieut. Gen. Uehara Yaninishi is shown reading an address at a recent memorial service for those who fell in battle. It was shortly after he was invested with the office of Japanese minister of war.

Noted Missouri Livestock

Carlotta Pontiac 81294.

This Holstein cow was raised by the University of Missouri, being Herd No. 209. She was born November 26 1903 Sire, Pontiac Cronus 28835 Dam: Carlotta Lady Josephine 53673.

Record for one year: 22,654 pounds of milk, containing 711.61 pounds of fat equivalent to 889.51 pounds of 80 per cent butter.

Lifetime record 157,896 pounds of milk, containing 4,929 pounds of fat, equivalent to 6,121 pounds of 80 per cent butter.

Period of service: April 21, 1906 to October, 1518; twelve years and six months.

Offsprings: Five heifers and five bulls.

Note: Estimated number of students using her in judging class, 3,-000 to 4,000.

Blanche Butchart of St. Joseph is a guest at the home of her aunt, Mrs. L. S. Yeo.

IN THE SAME CLASS WITH BATAVIA GOODS IS

P. P. P. FLOUR

Try it for your next baking.

Schumacher's
HOME OF PURE FOODS.

Smart Fashions
in Fall Suits

Our latest suit arrivals for practical and dress occasions embrace the graceful line characteristics of the new modes discriminating women take keen delight in wearing. Among the loviest are suits embellished with fancy silk braiding, embroidery, and collar and cuffs of fur. Elegance of tailoring is apparent in every model, and the fabrics are those worthy of the most painstaking workmanship.

The values this season are wonderful at

$25.00 $35.00
$39.75
and the handsome Moussyne material up to
$82.50

Special bargains in Furs, Fur Coats and Blankets this week.

Haines
The Biggest Little Store in United States.

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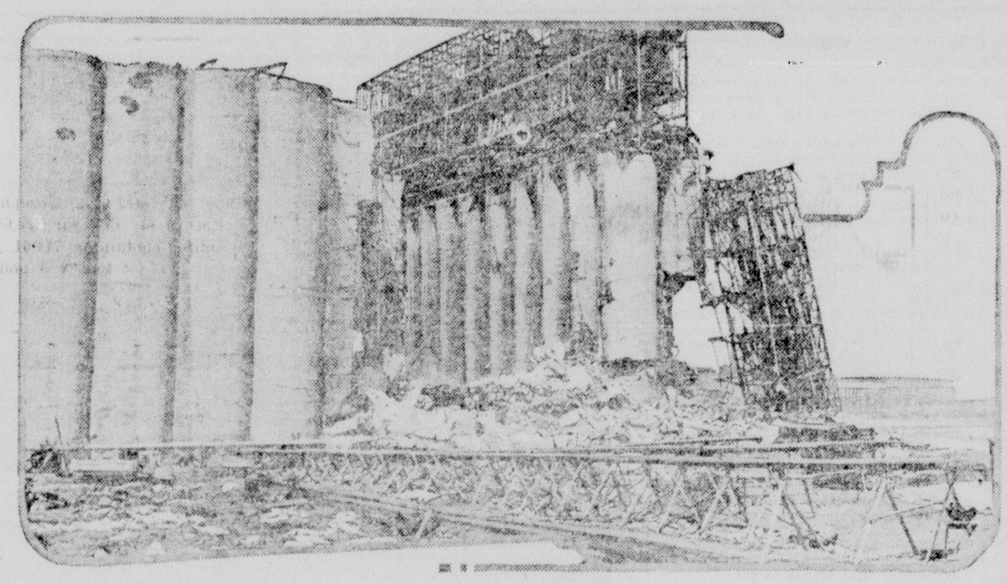
Salvaging Grain From Elevator That Blew Up



The work of salvaging the grain that was blown up in the world's largest grain elevator, in Chicago, owned by the Armour company, has just been finished. The work of cleaning out the elevator, which it had been estimated would take at least a year, was finished in four months. Blowers were run out from two sides of the elevator, one to the railroad tracks and one to the canal where the barges were loaded.

NEXT STEP FOR A NEW CONSTITUTION IN 1922

Association Will Meet to Plan Publicity Campaign to Keep Interest Alive.

Missouri may vote on its new constitution at the general election in November, 1922, according to H. H. Mathoner, secretary of the civics department of the Kansas City Chamber of Commerce.

Governor Hyde has not called the election for the choosing of delegates for the constitutional convention provided for at the special election August 2. It is expected, however, that this will be done before the last of December. This would make a spring meeting of the delegates possible and the deliberations could be as long as desired.

The completion of the work of the convention by November would make it possible for the voters to pass on the draft at the fall election and its acceptance would mean that the 20-year fight to place Missouri in its proper rank as a modern state would have been concluded successfully.

Details for the work to be undertaken before this is accomplished will be settled at the meeting of the New Constitution Association of Missouri Friday at the Hotel Baltimore in Kansas City. The meeting will be open to the public and the most prominent leaders in the movement over the state will be present.

The association's call for the meeting was issued by Dr. W. H. Black, Marshall, Mo. The purposes of the meeting as outlined by W. M. Ledbetter, secretary of the association, will be the consideration of the election plans, preliminary investigation before the convention meets, a publicity campaign to keep before the people and prospective delegates the constructive measures to be considered and the approval of the draft after the convention has finished its work.

To Farmers' Convention

James Neal, Elmer Hanna, Ira Thompson and W. Rickman of Pickering left Sunday morning via motor car to attend the Farmers convention in Springfield, Mo.

Two Killed in Auto

St. Louis, Aug. 30.—Mrs. Betty Brennan and Jacob Palan were killed and three others were seriously injured when an atuomobile in which they were riding overturned here today.

Moto rto Bigelow.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Lett and daughter, Miss Lerita Lett, of Pickering and their guests, Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Crawford and son, Harvey, of Kansas City left today for a motor trip to Maitland, Mound City, and Bigelow where they will visit for a few days with relatives. Mrs. Lett and Mrs. Crawford are sisters.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Wolter of Conception Junction were in Maryville yesterday on business.

MARKET LETTER.

Kansas City Stock Yards, Aug. 30.—Light receipts brought a fresh advance in hog prices. The market for most of the better grades was above the 9 cent level, compared with a price range under 9 cents at the low point last week. Here cattle receipts were about the same as a week ago, but demand improved at stronger prices. Best killing grades sold readily. Sheep receipts were bunches in Omaha and Chicago and sharp declines at those points brought lower prices elsewhere.

Receipts yesterday were 18,500 cattle, 6,500 hogs, and 8,500 sheep, compared with 20,500 cattle, 7,500 hogs and 12,000 sheep a week ago, and 24,600 cattle, 6,130 hogs, and 14,100 sheep a year ago.

Beef Cattle.

Best grades of killing steers were 10 to 15 cents higher, butcher cattle strong to 25 cents higher, and veal calves up 50 cents. Ordinary to plain steers moved more freely at strong prices, and medium steers were strong to 10 cents higher. The general market showed a greater improvement than price advances indicated. The quicker movement over the scales, caused by larger killer demand together with higher prices for beef, were factors in the improved trade. The bulk of the steers were from pastures and they sold at $5.25 to $7.25. Fed steers sold up to $10.25. There was considerable shipping demand for butcher cattle. Veal calves sold up to $9.00.

Stockers and Feeders.

Stockers were in moderate supply at strong prices. Feeders sold readily, with good classes higher. The belief that prices are at the low point is improving demand.

Hogs.

Hog prices were up 15 to 25 cents, mostly 25 cents, and most of the hogs sold at $9.00 up. The top price was $9.50. Some 270 pound hogs sold up to $9.10 and 200 pound grades brought the top at $9.50. Extreme heavy hogs sold at $8.50 to $8.75. Receipts were light and will probably continue so for the next four weeks. Pigs were 25 cents higher, top $9.50.

Sheep and Lambs.

Lambs were 25 to 50 cents lower and sheep 25 cents lower. Western lambs sold at $8.50 to $8.80, native lambs $8.00 to $8.50. Ewes sold mostly at $3.50 to $4.00, and feeding lambs $6.00 to $7.00. Most of the offerings were good western lambs.

Horses and Mules.

Demand for horses and mules showed a moderate improvement, though prices were not quotably higher. Better quality in offerings would stimulate trading.

Spain's Royalty Look Spanish

Highly "Spanishy" to say the least is this interesting snapshot of the king and queen of Spain, made during their recent visit to Burgos, Spain.

INTERESTING ITEMS

Fireproof barrels made from sugar mill refuse have been invented in Hawaii.

A patent has been granted for feathers, suitably prepared, for cleaning the stems of tobacco pipes.

Solid wheels of wood have become so popular on automobiles that now they are being used on bicycles.

Sugar mill waste is now converted into a coarse building board, which answer's a great many purposes.

The Italian government has decided to electrify 6,000 kilometers of railroads with power obtained from waterfalls.

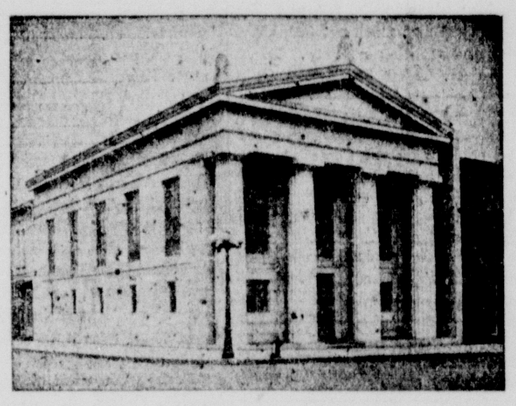
With economy in view tin containers with labels embossed in the metal, instead of paper ones, have been invented in Australia.

We "sorta" take to each other---

Perhaps one reason farmers like to deal with us is because we like to deal with them.

We like to talk over their problems and to get their good, practical viewpoint on things in general.

Occasionally, because of our affiliations all over the United States, we are able to be of considerable help with sound financial advice. When we are—they're glad and we're glad.



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Maryville's Bank of Personal Service

ST. JOSEPH FALL FESTIVAL

September 5-6-7-8-9-10-11

St. Joseph invites you to her annual week of fun—this year bigger and better than ever—$35,000 in purses, premiums and attractions for the entertainment of visitors. The most gigantic annual amusement event of the middle west.

Horse Races

Sept. 5, 6, 7 and 8. Five big events daily, Harness and Running Races. Large fields—fast horses. More than 200 horses entered, among them record makers and breakers.

Frontier Round-Up

Sept. 9, 10 and 11. One hundred cowboys and cowgirls direct from western ranches, 200 untamable, man-hating, outlaw, bucking horses and wild, long horn Mexican and Brahma steers in a gruelling contest—$10,000 in cash prizes. Broncho busting, wild steer bulldogging and kindred sports of the plains country.

Agricultural Fair

A wonderful assembly of agricultural and horticultural products of this state will be on exhibit all week—will be of lasting value to those interested in soil products. $3,000 in premiums.

Free Vaudeville

The greatest array of Vaudeville talent ever presented in this section—stars of the stage and circus arena, comedians, clowns and mirth provokers—sensational and skillful equestrians between heats of races and contested events of the Round-Up.

Augmented Seating Capacity

Added seating arrangements for approximately 5,000 persons. Particular attention has been paid to the comfort and safety of all visitors. Systematic parking of autos at beautiful, spacious Lake Contrary Driving Park.

Prices

	Races	Round-Up
Adults	75 cents	$1.00
Children, 10 to 15	25 cents	.25

Children under 8, free.

Grandstand 25 cents extra. Auto parking space free.

Excursion Rates on All Railroad—One and One-Half Fare for the Round Trip.

St. Joseph Civic Festival Association.

CONVINCING PROOF

That Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound Has Extraordinary Curative Power in Cases of Woman's Ailments

Columbus, O.—"I suffered very much pain during my monthly periods and felt weak and all run down. I tried many remedies and the doctor said I would have to have an operation. Then before my baby was born I had terrible pains in my sides. I took Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and it helped me wonderfully. I have had two children since I began taking your medicine and did all of my own work including washing while carrying them. I can also recommend Lydia E. Pinkham's Sanative Wash. You may use this letter as a testimonial if you wish." —Mrs. Thomas L. Christy, 704 West Mound St., Columbus, Ohio.

Such a condition as Mrs. Christy was in points directly to a deranged condition of a woman's system, and by following her example taking Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, women may be relieved from such ailments and be restored to normal health and strength just as she was.

If there is anything about your condition you do not understand write Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co., Lynn, Mass., in regard to your health.

A TALE of pure delight; one of the great American writer's immortal "kid" stories.

Fit to go along with "Penrod," "Seventeen" or "Too Gentle Julia;" in fact, it is woven about the same interesting characters as the latter.

"The Oriole" deals with "thirteen," that transition age between childhood and youth when one never knows what the young human offspring will be up to next. It is the age when imagination takes the most unexpected turns and fancy plays the queerest pranks.

In this narrative Mr. Tarkington brings to bear all his genius for character, situations and humor. Every line is either a laugh or a study in the delectable ways of the young; the whole is a work of unbounded joy.

Read it as a serial in this paper. Subscribe now so as not to miss any part of it.

First Installment Will Appear Friday

TIRES

ODDS AND ENDS OF DISCONTINUED LINES.

A Few Sizes in Lines We are Discontinuing.
FIRST GRADE, FULLY GUARANTEED TIRES
—CORDS, 8,000 MILES—FABRIC, 6,000 MILES—

The amount of stock on hand is given in each size.

Five 30x3 Firestone non-skid	$10.50
Three 30x3 Goodrich plain	$10.50
Five 30x3½ Goodrich non-skid	$14.50
One 30x3½ Dayton non-skid	$12.50
Two 32x4 Goodrich ribbed tread	$18.50
Two 32x3½ Firestone ribbed, cord	$25.50
Two 33x4 Firestone non-skid cords	$42.50
Five 33x4 Firestone non-skid fabric	$25.50
Two 33x4 Goodrich Silvertown cords	$35.00
One 31x4 Firestone fabric	$21.00
Two 34x4½ Goodyear all weather tread, fabric	$35.00

"SECONDS"

Because of a change from white to black tread these tires are branded "seconds." Only a few of them and they are an exceptionally good buy at these prices:

Two 32x4 Oldfield cords	$25.50
Five 31x4 Oldfield fabric, plain	$11.95
Two 32x4 Star fabric, non-skid	$17.50
One 33x4 ribbed Star, fabric	$17.75
Two 35x4½ non-skid Oldfield fabric	$26.00

Sewell-Kramer Motor and Tire Co.

West Fourth St., Maryville.

CLASSIFIED ADVERTISING

Wants

THAT BRING RESULTS

Classified "wants," one cent per word first insertion and one-half cent per word for each subsequent insertion, no advertisement for less than 25c

Classified wants, by the month, per line (six words) per month 70c

Count the words; send money with the order. Ads should be in by twelve o'clock to insure insertion in this column same day.

These prices are for CASH with order. An extra charge of Five Cents will be made on all Want Ads when cash does not accompany the order.

FOR SALE.

LEGAL FORMS FOR SALE—The following legal forms may be had at the Democrat-Forum office. Lease of Farm, Quit Claim Deed, House Leases, Deed of Trust, Chattel Mortgage with power of Sale, and General Warranty Deed. J5-tf

FOR SALE—Wood stove and base burner. Hanamo 4706. A3-tf

FOR SALE — Large line of used heaters, ranges and cook stoves. Case Furniture Exchange. A13tf.

FOR SALE—Stock Hogs. 300 head of Good Spring Shoats for sale; a good bunch of Duroc Jerseys. The Alfalfa Farm. O. E. Bradley, Elmo. 25tf.

THIS IS THE TIME to buy timothy seed, $3.00 per bu.; alfalfa, $10 to $12 per bu. See R. S. Braniger. 27-30

FOR SALE CHEAP—Double 10-inch records, 75c; player rolls, 25c and 50c; one Regina talking machine, $20, plays all records. See this at once. D. N. Scott, 115 W. Third St. 29-31

FOR SALE—Some slightly used pianos in fine condition. These goods must be sold quickly. Come at once and make your selection. Prices lowest in many years. D. N. Scott, 115 West Third St. 29-31

FOR SALE—Oakland, Overland and Ford cars. Lowry Hardware and Implement Co. 29-31

FOR SALE—Used Fordson tractor in good condition. Lowry Hardware and Implement Co. 29-31

FOR SALE—Reed baby carriage. Call at 631 West Second St. 29-31*

FOR SALE — Twenty-inch frame bicycle. Ten dollars. Coaster brake, and practically new tires. Carl Leroy Fisher, 719 E. 4th St. 29-31*

FOR SALE—Reed baby buggy, in good condition. J. L. Fisher, 719 E. 4th St. 29-31*

FOR SALE—Sundry household articles, including library table, rockers, bed davenport, dining room furniture, gasoline stove, etc. May be seen at the College residence Tuesday afternoon and Wednesday morning. 29-30

FOR SALE—Extra good milk and butter cow, Jersey. O. L. Robey, 416 West Eleventh. Hanamo 475. 29-31*

FOR SALE—Big spotted Poland-China male pigs. (March farrow) eligible to register in both the Standard and National records. From Henry Field's highest type of breeding. Good individuals. For information call at the premises. Cedar Summit-West end of 3rd street. Maryville or telephone D. Wallace, Hanamo 3346 or N. Sisson, Farmers 63. A30tf.

FOR SALE—Airedale pups, $5 and $8. Papers. Litter of 15. Roy Manley, Barnard. 30-1*

FOR SALE—tomatoes for canning, $1.25 bu. Hanamo 4493. Theodore Hawkins. 30-5

FOR SALE—Another crop of tomatoes, may be the last; so watch them. John Graves, Farmers phone 76-12. 30-1.

MISCELLANEOUS.

WHAT HAVE YOU? We buy, sell or trade. Dealer in furniture, stoves rugs and implements, etc. Case Furniture Exchange. Hanamo 530, Farmers 510. J15-tf.

RUGS AND CARPETS cleaned by the Hamilton Beach method. Electric Carpet Washing Co. Han. 611. J19tf

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms for light housekeeping, students preferred; also garage. Mrs. Mary Hill, 312 West Fifth St. A1- S1.

FOR RENT—Furnished three room modern apartment. Oak floors and built in features. Case Furniture Exchange. 10-tf

WANTED—Lace curtains to launder. Hanamo 526. 206 North Newton street. 27-2

WANTED—A girl or middle aged woman to assist with general housework. A permanent position if satisfactory. Mrs. W. B. Gex, Graham, Mo. Phone thru Graham. A27-tf

LOST—a pair of spectacles in the case. Returns to the Democrat-Forum office. 30-1*

FOR RENT—Rooms for light housekeeping. Inquire this office. 29-31*

WANTED—Waitress at Merchants Cafe. 29-31

HAVE your coal weighed by a man hired by the city, and get a chance on the $100 in gold. No extra charge. Glover & Alexander. A27-tf

WANTED TO RENT—For cash—A 320 or 400 acre farm. John Higdon, Conception Junction. 29-31*

LOST—In Maryville or on State road, man's double breasted gray coat with near blue stripe. Return to this office. 30-1*

WANTED A HOME—for an eleven year old girl. For further information inquire at this office. 29-31*

LOST—34x4 spare tire near Maryville. Finder call this office. 27-30

MARKET REPORTS

Chicago, Aug. 30.—CATTLE—Receipts, 8,000.

HOGS—Receipts, 22,000.

SHEEP—Receipts, 24,000.

Kansas City, Aug. 30.—CATTLE—Receipts, 14,000.

HOGS—Receipts, 8,000.

SHEEP—Receipts, 14,000.

St. Joseph, Aug. 30.—CATTLE—Receipts, 2,300.

HOGS—Receipts, 5,000; top, $9.35; 10c lower.

SHEEP—Receipts, 4,000.

LOCAL MARKETS

Eggs	24c
Hens	18c
Springs	18c
Roasters, per lb	6c
Butter Fat	28c
Ducks, per lb	12c
Geese, per lb	8c

The Misses Carter Leave.

Miss Audrey Louise Carter of Burlington Junction left this morning for Huron, S. Dak., where she will teach English in the high school this year. Her sister, Miss Lucile Mae Carter, will leave tomorrow for Des Moines, Ia., where she will teach in the high school. Both young women have been spending the summer vacation in Burlington Junction with their parents, Dr. and Mrs. M. Carter.

Find Cache of Stolen Millions

Chicago, Aug. 30.—A cache believed to contain millions of dollars in securities, the loot of Charles W. French in the fifty million dollar swindle trust, was located today in the vaults of the Security Trust Co.

Revolution in Paraguay

Buenos Aires, Aug. 30.—An authentic report today says that the revolutionary movement is gaining ground in Paraguay. Widespread discontent is said to be caused by the disintegratration of the American Internal Products Co., involving the collapse of Paraguayan enterprises with twenty million dollars capital.

Miss Henderson to Utah

Miss Etha Henderson, who has been spending the summer vacation with her mother, Mrs. M. T. Henderson, will leave Thursday for Hiawatha, Utah, where she will resume teaching in the public schools.

Granted a Pension

According to a dispatch from Washington, Millie Cox of Graham has been granted a pension of $30 a month.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Youcum of Springfield, Ia., and Mr. and Mrs. Austion Yocum of Marion, Ia., left yesterday for their homes after a few days visit here with Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Croy and with other relatives. The two men are nephews of Mrs. Croy.

Ralph Yehle left Sunday for Columbia to resume his studies at the University of Missouri, after spending the summer with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Conrad Yehle.

Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Helzer of Graham were in Maryville yesterday.

Mrs. Florence DeBord of Maitland was a business visitor yesterday.

C. C. Hooper of Maitland was a business visitor yesterday.

MAN'S BEST AGE

A man is as old as his organs; he can be as vigorous and healthy at 70 as at 35 if he aids his organs in performing their functions. Keep your vital organs healthy with

GOLD MEDAL HAARLEM OIL CAPSULES

The world's standard remedy for kidney, liver, bladder and uric acid troubles since 1696; corrects disorders; stimulates vital organs. All druggists, three sizes. Look for the name Gold Medal on every box and accept no imitation

WHEN SIMS GOT IN WRONG

Capitol Barber on Record as Making Bad Break to the Then Senator Harding.

The odds are 200 to 2 that the senators will say that Sims is the most popular barber in the senate barber shop. Sims has the cream of the senate trade and he has been in the senate barber shop longer than anyone knows. He has become expert not only on shaving and cutting hair and massaging, but on political matters as well.

When President Harding was still a member of the senate he came in for Sims to do a little face work on him. Sims began shortly after the then senator took the chair, to talk about the dire effect on the senate of the Constitutional amendment providing for direct election of its members.

"Why, this direct election is sure a bad thing," said Sims in Mr. Harding's ear. "Why, the men who are here can't be compared with the men who were here 20 years ago."

Just about this time it dawned on Sims what he was saying and to whom he was saying it.

Probably his conscience was stirred by the fact that Mr. Harding's face was getting redder and redder as he tried to suppress his laughter.

"Oh, indeed, senator," said the stricken Sims. "I was speakin' genuilly. I didn't mean nothing pussunal about it."—Los Angeles Times.

SIMPLE MATTER OF REASON

How Water Has Traveled From Versailles to Columbia, Mo., in Last Three Centuries.

An old Indian was sitting by a camp fire near the present site of Versailles, Mo., back in July, 1608. He was telling a story about Louis D. Moscoso, successor to De Soto, who explored the southwestern part of Missouri in 1542. "Sure, Mike," he said. "These hombres are white, have short hair, carry—" But his sentence was never finished. About that time it began to rain and the council adjourned to the shelter. It is now 312 years since that time, but the water from that very rain we are just now getting here in Columbia for drinking purposes. Don't you believe it? Well, here is the way they find such things out. During the war the army made some tests of how fast water moves under the ground. This was done by digging two wells, placing some chemicals in one to discolor the water and then waiting to see how long before the discoloration became apparent in the water of the second well. The layer of sand from which Columbia secures its water is a medium sand, neither coarse nor fine, and it was found that water moved 845 feet a year in such sand. The layer of sand outcrops at Versailles, which is approximately fifty miles from here. Figure it out.—Columbia Missourian.

Japanese Easy to Learn.

Sir Dennison Ross, director of the London school of oriental studies, in an exhortation to his countrymen to learn Japanese, says that this is one of the easiest languages of the world to pronounce. "Most of the words end in vowels and none of the consonants offer any difficulties." The structure of Japanese is very peculiar and very strange to the beginner. It is hard to realize a grammar which recognizes no persons and genders—but such is the case with the Japanese. The language also has no relative pronouns. However, there is no reason why people whose mother tongue is English should fight shy of the language. For practical, everyday purposes, six months' study of the spoken tongue will carry an intelligent man a long way provided he has competent teachers.

Defective Vision in Children.

Last year 141,000 cases of defective vision among the school children of New York state were reported, according to Dr. William A. Howe of the state education department. A large percentage of the defects of vision are errors of refraction traced directly to poor lighting conditions, he says. Quantity of light is one of the most difficult problems of school lighting. While offices and factories are employing increasingly high intensities of illumination, schools can be found with very low illumination. The subject has added importance by reason of the fact that night schools are conducted in a number of school buildings. Two thousand rooms in the schools of New York city alone are used for that purpose.

MRS. ANNA WHITTED DIES AT CONCEPTION AT NOON TODAY.

Mrs. Anna Whitted died at noon today at the home of her son, Tony Schafer, at Conception, following an illness of pneumonia fever since Sunday morning. She is survived by two daughters, Mrs. Lucy Martin and Mrs. Mary Martin, both of St. Joseph, and two sons, Henry Schafer of Bedford, and Tony Schafer of Conception. The body will be taken to Bedford, Ia., tonight for burial.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Walker of Stronghurst, Ill., who have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Frank Knabb, left for their home Sunday.

Miss Sadie Neal, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ira Neal, has gone to Columbia to attend the University of Missouri this year.

G. L. Stutesman of Parnell was a business visitor today.

HAS SEEN LIFE'S BITTERNESS

Granddaughter of the Mighty Napoleon I Worthy of Remembrance by the French People.

Paris observed the centenary of Napoleon Bonaparte's death with elaborate ceremonies a few weeks ago. Amid all the pomp in honor of the one-time arbiter of Europe another figure stood out in contrast—that of a woman of fifty, dressed in black, with a fine, open face, lined by sorrow and the incessant effort to eke out a livelihood, a teacher in an ordinary elementary school near the Boulevard St. Michel. This poor teacher, now living in a tiny apartment with her cat and a few meager possessions, is the granddaughter of Napoleon I. Her father was the illegitimate son of Napoleon and Eleonore de la Plaigne, a maid of honor to Caroline Murat. Napoleon gave the boy the title of Count Leon. Born in 1806, "Count Leon" died in 1881, after an exciting and feverish life, into which he crowded excessive gambling, many duels and love affairs and some mystical meditations. The count's only daughter, Charlotte Leon, was born when her father was sixty years old. She began life as a teacher in Algeria to support her widowed mother, to whom the count had left but small means of subsistence. After hard years of struggle on a pittance she finally went to Paris, where she married a M. Mesnard, taking the name of Mme. Mesnard-Leon. Her husband is now dead and she lives alone, barely removed from want, meditating on the strange destiny of her grandfather, the great emperor, of her father's wild and stormy life—and of her only son, who died for France at Rheims during the war.

ALCOHOL FROM THE JUNGLE?

May Yet Be Economically Manufactured From Moist Vegetation of Tropical Forests.

We clutch at anything as a substitute for gasoline. Professor Whitford of the Yale school of forestry says that alcohol could be economically manufactured from the moist vegetation of tropical forests and jungles. "The evidence is conclusive," said Professor Whitford, "that the tropical sun has the power to store up more energy in the form of cellulose in a given time than has the temperate sun. If this is in a utilizable form it remains for the ingenuity of man to overcome the difficulties of profitably applying it. With the increasing needs of the nation it is reasonable to expect that sooner or later it will be necessary to utilize more fully the plant resources of the tropics." Professor Whitford said that the annual production of alcohol from the nipa plant in the Philippines was now nearly 3,000,000 gallons and that one distillery there had produced 93 per cent alcohol at a cost of about 20 cents a gallon, and if operated to full capacity could make it at a cost of 15 cents a gallon.—Scientific American.

Reversing Speech.

A curious phonographic instrument was invented by Poulsen, capable of reversing the sounds of a word or a sentence. A steel piano wire, carried on two spools, passes between the poles of a small electromagnet so connected with a telephone transmitter that spoken words are magnetically recorded on the moving wire and reproduced in a receiving instrument. When the motion of the wire is direct, the words are heard as in ordinary conversation, but if the motion is reversed, the sounds come to the ear in reverse order, like words spelled backward. To represent the order in which the reversed sounds strike the ear, however, not only must the order of the letters composing a word be reversed but each letter must itself be reversed from right to left, as when reflected in a mirror.—Christian Science Monitor.

Remarkable Calculation.

Charles L. Dodgson, professor of higher mathematics at Christ Church, Oxford, known to most people as "Lewis Carroll," and the author of "Alice in Wonderland," is responsible for the following peculiar calculation:

Write down the number of your brothers that are living. Multiply this by two. Add three. Multiply the result by five. To this add the number of your living sisters. Multiply the result by ten.

Add to this result the number of your dead brothers and sisters. From the total substract 150.

The right hand figure gives the number of deaths, the middle figure gives the number of living sisters, and the left-hand figure gives the number of living brothers.

Lodgings or Lollypops.

Referring to our note on the disappearance of cottage pudding because of the shortage of cottages, a correspondent asks if the high cost of lumber isn't really due to the vast quantities of it now being used in making lollypop handles. Probably, sir, probably. So that while we use our lumber in making cheap sweets we cannot expect to have cheap suites.—Boston Transcript.

German Blind Soldiers Increase.

There are 3,322 blind soldiers in Germany from the World war and one hundred have died. The discouraging feature of it all is that there were only 1,954 war blind when the armistice was signed. In addition to the totally blind, there are at present 4,129 who have "bad eyes" as the result of war service.—New York Evening Post.

WORRY.

It isn't the sounds, or rattle, or pounds
Of the engines you may have run;
Nor the strenuous trip, that weakens your grip,
Nor the "miles you've made," my son;
Nor the scorching heat, or rain or sleet,
Nor the winter's biting cold;
But worse than shocks, or even hard knocks,
Is the worry that makes you old.

You can take a brace, and cheerfully face
Your trials, at day or night;
You can drive along, with a merry song,
Whenever your heart is right;
If the heart is light, there is pure delight
In the hardest tasks you do;
But worry, you'll find, makes the hardest grind
Out of simplest tasks, for you.

It isn't the worry that's caused by the hurry,
And hardships of things you've done;
Nor the open switch, nor the yawning ditch
That you know may be waiting, son;
Nor the burden of years, but the haunting fears;
Not the troubles that fate may hold,
But those we borrow, cause most of the sorrow
And worry that makes us old.
—Jason Kelley, in Locomotive Engineers' Journal.

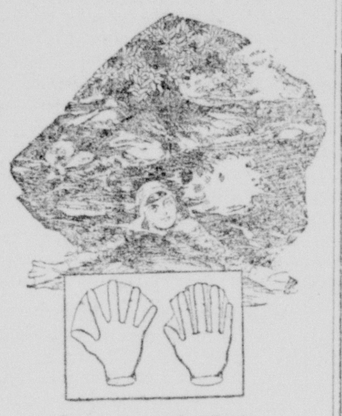
WEBBED GLOVE FOR SWIMMER

Makes Possible Faster Travel Through the Water, With a Good Deal Less Effort.

A glove for swimming has been invented. It may be made of rubber, silk, cotton or any other suitable material, the novel feature it embodies being that the fingers are joined.

The webbing that connects the fingers is of the same material as the glove, and flexible, so that it may fold when the fingers are closed together.

When a person swims, the hands operate as paddles, and ordinarily the fingers are closed together for obvious



Makes Swimming Easier.

reasons. But if the hands be clad in a pair of these webbed gloves, they can paddle with fingers spread, opposing to the water a considerably larger area of propelling surface.

In drawing the arms back to prepare for the next stroke, the fingers are closed together, the webs not interfering, and so the hands, on returning toward the body, present to the water a minimum of surface.—Pittsburgh Dispatch.

Cuts Teeth in Old Age.

An unusual instance of second childhood has been reported at Richmond, England, where a man of eighty-five is cutting two front teeth, having lost his old ones about a year ago. Cases of this nature are of rare occurrence. There is only one well-authenticated instance recorded—it is in the Hampton parish church records. Edward Prodgers died there over 200 years ago at the age of ninety-six "of the anguish of cutting teeth, he having cut four new teeth, and had several ready to cut, which so inflamed his gums that he died."

Remarkable Rainbow.

The unusual optical phenomenon of a rainbow produced by the sun shining not on rain drops, but on particles of sand suspended in the air by wind, was witnessed over a part of the Great Salt Lake district by some surveying parties. The colors were very brilliant, and there was a secondary bow visible. The main bow was fully double the width of an ordinary rainbow.

Duck Worth Owning.

Three eggs in 12 hours were laid by his duck, says a Prince Edward Island reader. There can be no mistake, as he had only the one duck on his farm. In the morning he saw the duck lay an egg and in the evening he saw it lay two others, one right after the other. The last egg was a little smaller than the first two after being shelled.

Cow Was Too Ambitious.

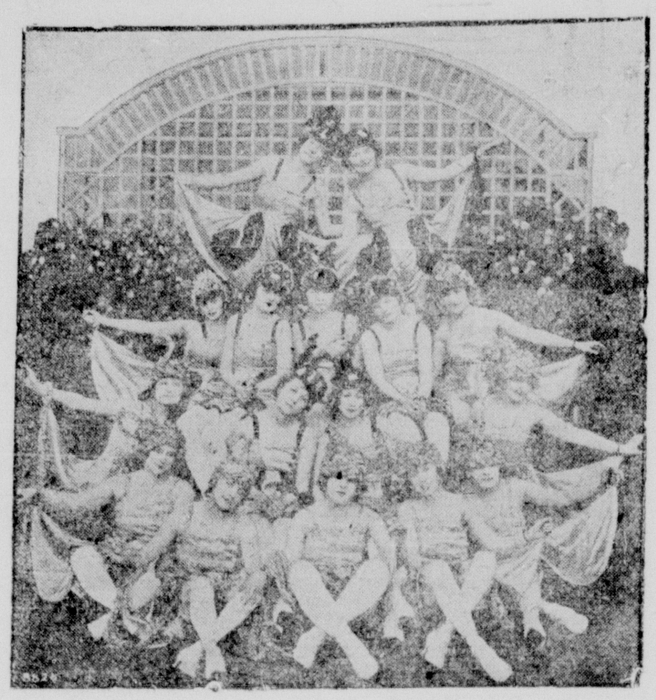
A Durham cow owned by an Ontario farmer gave birth to triplets, two bulls and a heifer last spring. This year the cow repeated the feat, giving birth to two bulls and a heifer again. The young animals are thriving. An ambition to establish a record for Ontario cost the animal her life.—Montreal Family Herald.

Queer Animal Partnership.

Tracking a fox to a hollow log, a hunter found that a porcupine and a raccoon had also taken refuge there. The fox and raccoon were at opposite ends and the porcupine was in the middle of the log, so arranged as to not disturb one another.

Portable Box to Fool Thieves.

German mechanics have invented a portable steel box that will bother, if not defy thieves. It is fitted with an inside alarm that is set going if the box is moved after the owner places it, the gong being set to go until the box is opened and the switch thrown.



A group of real terpsichoreans with the Musical Comedy supreme, "Dardanella," at the Empire Theatre Thursday, Sept. 1.

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Social Gossip and Clubs

Mrs. Baker Hostess.

Mrs. George B. Baker was hostess this afternoon to the Tuesday Bridge Club at her home on West Third Street.

For Iowa Visitors.

Mr. and Mrs. P. F. Bailey entertained at dinner Sunday at their home in honor of Mrs. Bailey's cousins, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Yocom of Springville, Ia., and Mr. and Mrs. Austin Yocom of Marion, Ia. Other guests were Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Croy and Mr. and Mrs. Ira Bailey.

To Give Missionary Program.

The women of the Christion Church at Pickering will give their regular missionary program Thursday afternoon September 1 at the church with the families of the members as guests Division No. 2 will have charge of the program with Mrs. C. E. Hull as leader. Following the program a picnic supper will be served on the lawn.

Brush-Murphy.

Miss Frances Brush and Maurice B. Murphy of Burlington Junction were married at 3 o'clock Sunday afternoon at the home of the officiating minister, the Rev. W. B. Corder, pastor of the Olive Street Methodist Church, in St. Joseph. They were attended by Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Hardesty. Mr. Hardesty is an uncle of the bride. They will make thenr home in Burlington Junction.

Entertains at Dinner

Ms. W. H. Rankin entertained at dinner yesterday noon at her home on South Buchanan street. Her guests were Mrs. A. E. Oberlander and her daughter, Mrs. Myrl Heaton. Mrs. Rankin, who has been attending the State Teachers College for the past two years, is leaving soon for Rockport where she will teach in the public schools.

For Daughter's Birthday

Mr. and Mrs. Kyle P. Phares were hosts at a dinner party Sunday noon in honor of the first birthday anniversary of their baby daughter, Mary Margaret. Their guests were Mrs Mary A. Phares, Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Phares and little daughter, Frances, and Ray Hull.

Observe Wedding Anniversaries.

Prof. C. C. Leeson and children, Kenneth and Lucile, left today for Red Oak, Ia., where they will meet Mrs. Leeson and little daughter, Beatrice, who have been visiting for two weeks with relatives in Coldwater, Mich. Mr. and Mrs. Leeson will be guests at a dinner given today by the Rev. and Mrs. Levi P. Goodwin of Red Oak, the occasion being the wedding anniversaries of both couples. Mr. and Mrs. Leeson and children are expected home tomorrow evening.

For Iowa Visitors.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Alloway entertained at dinner Sunday in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Alloway of Monroe, Iowa, who are visiting them. The guests included, in addition to the hosts and honor guests, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Brunk and children, Harold, Catherine, Guy and Everett, Mrs. Bert Swearingen and children, Donald, Dale and Beulah Fern, Mr. and Mrs. Will Logan and children, Evelyn and Robert, and Marjean, Irena and Gladys Alloway.

Family Reunion.

A picnic dinne rwas given Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Flora in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Lonnie Fine and sons, and Mrs. Mary Bond of Bloomfield, Ia. Those in attendance included Mr. and Mrs. John Garrard, Mr. and Mrs. G. Thomas Logan, Mr. and Mrs. Sam V. Florea, Mr. and Mrs. J. Del Morton, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd O. Killion, Mr. and Mrs. A. Bert Killion, Mr. and Mrs. Will Killion, Mr. and Mrs. Hardie Shelman, the honor guests, and Ernest, Harley and Loren Garrard, Donald and Orville Morton, Orlen and Dennis Florea, Floyd and Wewitte Fine and Misses Laura Garrard, Opal Leta and Ennis Florea, Crystal and Doris Morton, Mable, Velda and Lois Shelman, Gladys and Kennie Florea, and Helen and Neva Killion.

Hazelnut Party.

A party of relatives and friends met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Orr Carmichael Sunday to gather hazelnuts. The visitors brought well filled baskets and a picnic dinner was served at noon. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Carmichael, Mr. and Mrs. Allen Henry, Mr. and Mrs. Everett Carmichael, Mrs. G. W. Eads, Mr. and Mrs. Ave Carmichael, Mrs. Martha Murphy, Thelma, Clifford Henry, Nellie and Esther Carmichael, Juanita and Raymond Eads, Virginia and Virgil Carmichael, Miss Golda Carmichael, Miss Nellie Murphy, John Young, and the hosts and children, Florence and Woodrow.

Picnic at Tourist Park.

The members of Sunday School Class No. 8 of the Pickering Methodist Church gave a watermelon fest and outing Saturday evening at the Tourist Park in Maryville for Howard Leeck, who is visiting relatives and friends in Pickering. Those present were Misses Mildred Stafford, Lerita Lett, Ruth and Hulde Lante, Theresa King, Josie Sadler, Delma Carmichael, and Loren Hackett, Elmer Hanna, Frank Burch, Lyle Hanna, the honor guest and the teacher of the class, Carl McArthur and Mrs. McArthur.

Willing Workers Picnic.

The members of the Bloomdale Willing Workers Club, their families and a few addition friends enjoyed a picnic and outing Sunday in the grove at the home of Mr. and Mrs. James Carter, east of Pickering. At noon a basket dinner was served on tables in the grove, and in the afternoon refreshments of ice cream cake and watermelon were enjoyed. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Will Boatright and family of Ravenwood, Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Gray, Mr. and Mrs. Alva Lett and son, Junior, Mr. and Mrs. Wiley Thompson and family of Sheridan, Mr. and Mrs. James Lett and son, Forrest, Mildred and Lucile House, Mrs. Mary House of Bolckow, Mr. and Mrs. William Lett and daughter, Miss Lerita Lett, Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Crawford and son, Harvey of Kansas City, Mr. and Mrs. Chance Copeland and family, Mr. and Mrs Abe Byerrum and son, Harold, Mr. and Mrs. Orville Gray, Mr. and Mrs. Farle Runnels, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Runnels and family, Mr. and Mrs. Edmond Harvey and family Miss Lela Buzzard, Loren Buzzard, Mr. and Mrs. Bart Shannon, Mr. and Mrs. James Carter and daughter, Miss Alma Carter, Mr. and Mrs. Luther Pistole, Mrs. Mary Pistole, Miss Mary Loveridge, Oakley and Dena Roe of Sheridan, John William Groves and Raymond Lett.

Douglas Homemakers Club.

The last meeting of the Douglas Homemakers Club was held at the home at Mrs. John J. Gallagher and daughter, Mary. Miss Kathryn Roderick of the University of Missouri, assisted by several club members and Mrs. John Evans and Mrs. Claude Moore of the Rockford community, instructed the members in making paper dress forms. The visitors for the day were Mrs. Mike Dougan and Mrs. Joe Johnston, the latter being taken in as a new member. Plans were made at the meeting for an ice cream social to be given Thursday night at the home of Mrs. James McGinnis for the members, their families and friends. The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. John R. Gallagher.

For Kansas City Guests.

Mr. and Mrs. I. E. Tulloch entertained with a dinner party this noon at their home in compliment to Mr. and Mrs. Ernest DeLate and children Evelyn and Charles, of Kansas City, who are visiting relatives here and in Barnard. Additional guests were Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Stewart, Miss Mae Tulloch of Springfield, Mo., a guest at the Tulloch home, Gordon Roach and John Tulloch of Barnard.

Picnic Supper.

A number of Maryville people were in a party who motored to the Platte river Sunday evening, where they enjoyed a picnic supper. In the party were Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Randall and daughter, Norma, Miss Mildred Wray, Miss Matie Price, Harry Price, Miss Bess Curl, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Jensen and daughters, Ruth and Mildred, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd C. Talman, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Stapler, Mr. and Mrs. I. E. Tulloch and children, Stewart and Virginia, and Miss Mae Tulloch of Springfield, Mo., who has been visiting for a week at the home of her brother, I. E. Tulloch.

Picnic at Tourist Park.

Murray Welling, Eugene Yehle, Ed Schumacher and Walter Todd were hosts at a picnic supper last night at the College Park, when their guests included Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Raines and daughters, Misses Mabel, Evelyn and Laura Margaret Raines. The hosts and their guests were members of a camping party in Minnesota a year ago.

Archer-Schieber Wedding.

Miss Agnes Schieber and Ed Archer were united in marriage this morning at 7 o'clock in Conception, the bride's brother, the Rev. Father Odilo, officiating.

For Daughter's Birthday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. England entertained today with a dinner party in honor of the birthday anniversary of their daughter, Miss Naomi England, and for Miss Annette Stiwalt, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Stiwalt, who leaves early in September for Detroit, Mich., where she will take a course in nursing at the Harper Hospital. The dining table was centered with a birthday cake surrounded by pink and white roses and the same color scheme was used in the other appointments. Covers were laid for Miss Miriam Gray, Miss Gertrude Belt, Miss Elizabeth Keck, the honor guests and the hosts.

"Coffin Trust" Probe to Continue.

New York, Aug. 30.—Investigation of an alleged coffin trust will be continued by United States Attorney Charles Clyne, of Chicago, as soon as he returned to that city, he announced today at the ofifce of Federal Attorney William Hayward. Mr. Clyne said he had questioned a few coffin dealers here, but thus far he had been unable to obtain evidence that there is a national profiteering combination among the coffin manufacturers.

Mail Bandit is Caught

St. Louis, Aug. 30.—Thomas Hayes sought in connection with the Standard Oil payroll robbery at Woodriver Illinois, July 5, in which three automobile bandits escaped with $46,000, was arrested here today and held by the Federal authorities.

Read Democrat-Forum Want Ads.

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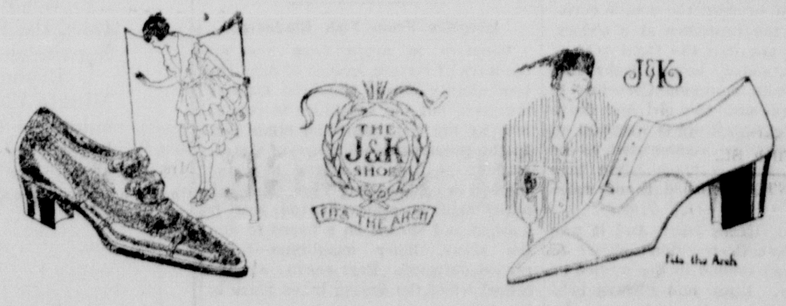
WE INVITE THE TEACHERS to come in this week and see the new Fall pumps and oxfords, especially suitable for the school room or dress wear.



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THE FAMILY SHOE STORE

When Love Came to Ruby

By KATE EDMONDS

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"It's dull as ditch water," declared Ruby Dexter as the postoffice door closed behind a small colored boy. "I've been here two years, Mr. Busby, and almost every day I've thought, 'Something new will happen today'—but it's always the same old treadmill!"

Mr. Busby looked up from the stamp drawer which he was cleaning out and there was a twinkle in his jolly blue eye. "Ain't it a change to have Sammy Jones come in fer his maw's mail?" he chuckled.

Ruby groaned. "Change? Mr. Busby, you know that young one's been in here twice a day regularly for mail, and they never got one single letter yet. It makes me wild to think I'll stay here and stay and stay till I'm old and homely——"

"Maybe I'll fire ye, Ruby," interrupted Mr. Busby.

"That would be a change," agreed Ruby. "I haven't got a thing to do—mail's all made up for 3 o'clock, everything's neat as wax, I'll have to knit again—I believe I'll crochet some lace for your wife, Mr. Busby; she was admiring the butterfly pattern——"

"Ding it all, Ruby, don't put any more lace diddies into my house," objected Mr. Busby forcibly. "Everything has lace dangling from it—I ketch my fingers in the edges of the pillow slips at night and pull lamps off the table, mats and dishes off the table—make her something to wear, Ruby, that's a good girl," he counseled.

Ruby jumped up to give a letter to Deacon Smart and to poke a weekly paper through the grating at old Mrs. Fowler. "Pretty cold weather for you to be out, Mrs. Fowler," said the pretty girl pleasantly.

"It's growing warmer, Ruby, going to have a thaw," and Mrs. Fowler departed, leaving a blast of cold air in the tiny office which was perched on the very edge of the little lake. All winter long the lake had been frozen

Dumped Them Into a Snowbank.

hard and there had been skating, but today was dull and lowering, with a softening of the wind that presaged a thaw.

Ruby yawned fretfully. "Nothing ever happens here," she complained.

"Make it happen, then," retorted good-natured Mr. Busby.

"How can I make it happen?" asked the girl. "No one ever comes into Lakeside village—no new people—I don't mean summer folks, they don't count—I would like to have a good time——"

"Some of our village boys would like to take you about, only you're too uppity."

"There's only one—or two—" Ruby's voice trailed off into silence.

The remainder of the day was very busy for both of them and there was little talk between the postmaster and his young assistant. Mr. Busby told Ruby that he would take her home in his sleigh that night after the office closed, as he was going down her way, but he did not tell her that big Cornelius Wayne, his nephew, would be along. Cornelius didn't know it himself until he brought the double cutter around to the postoffice at 8 o'clock. Mr. Busby got into the front seat of the double sleigh, helped Ruby into the back seat, motioned Cornelius to get in there with the girl and drove away. "See that Ruby is wrapped up warm, Corny," he commanded as he flicked his spirited black horse with the whip. "There's plenty of robes in there."

"All right, Uncle Jim." And it was apparent that Corny didn't object to being ordered around in the service of a fair lady. Ruby had always held him aloof—perhaps it was because she was afraid she would like him too well.

Cornelius was a nice boy and he was making lots of money with his model chicken farm, but Ruby, in spite of her idle chatter, was afraid of love, and somehow Cornelius represented love, though she had never recognized that fact. Now the two of them rode silently side by side, with a moon breaking through the clouds to stare at them and the cold wind tingling their cheeks.

Meanwhile Mr. Busby racked his brain to think of some way to make them talk, and while he worried about it the spirited black horse brought about the desired result without being consulted at all. There was a patch of white near the graveyard, a staring white monument erected that year, and the moonlight fell upon it. The horse had seen it before and shied at it every time, and so tonight he shied again and danced around with a sharp turn of the sleigh that neatly dumped Ruby and Cornelius into a great soft snowbank that muffled their cries of dismay. In a moment the sleigh was righted and Mr. Busby had driven away, blissfully unaware of the accident.

Ruby and young Cornelius sat up in the snow and stared at each other. Then they began to laugh at their plight, and the laughter seemed to melt the strangeness of their being together. Cornelius helped Ruby out of the snow and wiped her face dry with his big white handkerchief. His fingers shook a little as he did so; her cheeks were soft and round like a baby's and her hair was soft. He wiped dry her cold little hands and brushed off the snow from her garments. "You look like an Easter rabbit," he said admiringly.

"I feel more like a snow owl," laughed Ruby. "There, Corny, you better look out for yourself. You'll be catching cold!"

"We better walk home the rest of the way," suggested Cornelius. "We can warm up, and I don't believe Uncle Jim will miss us till he gets to your house."

So he tucked Ruby's hand under his arm and they set off down the road, finding their tongues loosed and discovering that they liked the same books and the same dances and the same phonograph records. Ruby related how she had told his uncle that very afternoon that nothing ever happened in Lakeside. "And just see what has happened tonight," she cried.

"That's right!" agreed Cornelius in an odd voice, and after that they were both very quiet, but he held her hand close in his arm all the way. When they reached Ruby's house Mr Busby was just driving back after them. After all the explanations had been made and Mr. Busby had coughed a great deal and patted the black horse very approvingly, he told Cornelius he would take him home if he was ready to go.

"I'm going to stay and have supper with Ruby," said Cornelius boldly "She asked me to."

The next morning Ruby came into the postoffice looking very happy. "Going to be a dull day, Ruby," sang out Mr. Busby. "Nothing ever happens in Lakeside. I wish some handsome drummer would come along or ——"

"Mr. Busby," interrupted Ruby with a threat in her voice and a laugh in her eyes, "if you say anything more like that—I'll crochet some table napkins for your wife——"

"Keep 'em for your hope chest," chuckled the postmaster as he dodged out of the door.

"I wonder!" said Ruby, as she opened the wicket and gave a package to little Sammy Jones who stared incredulously. "There's a first time for everything, I s'pose," and she wasn't thinking about Sammy Jones at all.

VICTOR HUGO AND AVIATION

Noted Frenchman Believed, Many Years Ago, in Man's Coming Navigation of the Air.

Victor Hugo was a lover of the spherical balloon and took great interest in all aeronautical experiments. A letter from the great French poet addressed to Gaston Tisandier in 1863 is reproduced in La Conquete de l'Air, of which the following is a translation, says the Detroit News.

"I believe, monsieur, in all progress. Navigation of the air follows naturally the navigation of the ocean; from the water man should pass to the air. Wherever in creation there is anything to be desired man penetrates in search of it. Our only limit is life itself. Where ceases the column of air, where the pressure prevents his machine from flying there alone man will be stopped. But he can, he should and he will go that far.

"You can do it. I take the greatest interest in your useful and brilliant voyages. I, also, have the taste for scientific adventure. Certainly the future will see aerial navigation and the duty of the present is to work for the future. This duty you are performing.

"I alone, but attentive, I am eyes for you and I cry, courage!"

Isinglass From Fish Bladders.

Isinglass is made from the air bladders of certain species of fish. The best quality comes from the Russian sturgeon, but the substance is yielded also by the cod, hake and other fish. In the preparation of isinglass the air bladder is torn from the fish and washed in cold water. Then the black outer skin is removed; the rest is washed and spread on a board to dry, the shiny, inner membrane being turned outward. Best results are obtained when the drying takes place in the sun.

When dry, the bladder is moistened in warm water, and the inner skin removed by rubbing and beating. It is then passed between iron rollers which reduce it to a thin, partly transparent ribbon having somewhat the appearance of watered silk. The sheets used in the panels of stove doors, and incorrectly known as isinglass, are made from mica, a mineral.

MOVE TO UNITE FARMERS AGAIN MEETS WITH DELAY

Missouri Farmers' Association Is Blamed for Postponement of Get-together Conference

Columbia, Aug. 30.—Representatives of the Missouri Farmers' Association again have delayed action on the proposed get-together for farmers' organizationh in Missouri A brief telegram was received by Chester H. Gray, President of the Missouri Farm Bureau Federation, containing the announcement that the M. F. A. conference committee could not attend the meeting that had been arranged.

Farm Bureau officials are at a loss to understand the continued delays that are being imposed by the M. F. A. officials, they say. After more than a year of effort, which was met with repeated delay on the part of the M. F. A. a conference finally was arranged at Kansas City late in June. At that meeting, a joint committee was authorized to work out a plan of several organizations involved for co-operation to be submitted to the ratification.

The conference committee was to have met at Sedalia Friday, Aug. 12, under a call from Mr. Gray. The committee is composed of eight members, three representing the Farm Bureau, three the Farm Clubs, one the Farmers Union and one the Missouri Farmers' Grain Dealers' Association. The Farm Bureau members were named immediately after the Kansas City conference. They are Chester H. Gray, president; R. W. Brown of Carrollton, treasurer, and S. S. Connett of Buchanan County, member of the executive committee of the Missouri Farm Bureau Federation.

W. R. Growther has been named to represent the Grain Dealers Association. The names of the M. F. A. committee have not yet been made public. Immediately following the Kansas City conference, H. A. Cowden, who stated he was writing for N. J. Ball, president of the M. F. A. indicated that the Farm Club delegates would not be named except to discuss an ultimatum delivered by that organization. They also opposed meeting with representatives of any organization except the Farm Clubs and the Farm Bureau.

However, following more correspondence, the Farm Club leaders finally agreed to name their committee and had agreed to meet at Sedalia August 12. Their failure to appear has again delayed the co-operation between these organizations.

According to Mr. Gray, there is a splendid prospect for the farmers of Missouri to enlist under one great banner that will enable them to present a united front on all questions affecting the farming industry in this state. The only thing that is standing in the way of a unification of activities now, it is charged, is the refusal of some of the Farm Club leaders to meet advances even a part of the way.

LEGHORNS LEAD HEN RACE IN FLOCK CONTEST

For Summer Laying the Light Birds are Winners in Contest During July

The White Leghorn flocks made a clean sweep of honors in the Missouri Farm Flock Contest in July, winning the highest variety average and all ton of the highest flock averages for the state.

There are 17,030 hens in the 126 farm demonstration flocks participating in this state-wide contest. Forty-two White Leghorn flocks averaged 12.8 eggs a hen. The ten highest laying flocks in the state this month, according to T. S. Townsley, extension poultry specialist of the Missouri College of Agriculture, were all White Leghorn flocks as follows:

Mrs. H. M. Bartimus, Linn County, averaging 23.3 eggs per hen; Mrs. J. T. Leslie, Lewis, 19.6; Leo Mattingly Madison, 19.2; Mr. and Mrs. J. C Taylor, Lincoln, 17.9; Mrs. Chas. F Smith, Carroll, 16.8; Thos. W. Edwards, Phelps, 15.9; Mrs. Ray George Ray, 15.7; Sallie E. Shelburne, Ralls 15.7; Mrs. Wm. H. Wise, Lincoln, 15.3; and W. C. Spurgeon, Boone, 15.2 eggs per hen.

The feed cost for July, 1921 was materially less than for any of the previous years of this contest, and the feed cost for producing each dozen eggs was correspondingly less. For July, 1921, the hens ate 14.5c worth of feed for each dozen eggs produced compared with a feed cost of 24.5c per dozen in 1920, 24.1c in 1919, and 20.5c in 1918. The average selling price for eggs during July was 24c per dozen.

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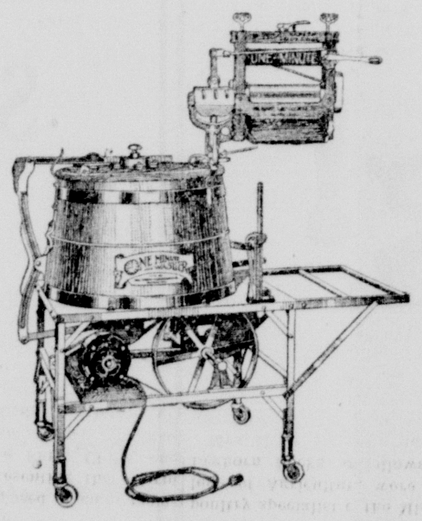

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Continued declines have been noted in the butter market during the week, but at the close the market has firmed up with improved demand from the retail trade.

Heavy volume of live poultry reaching the market has resulted in lower quotations on both live and dressed poultry.

Poultry plants generally have sufficient help to take care of average receipts, but any sudden large increase in volume would make it difficult to handle. Even marketing is therefore suggested.

Egg production is about normal for this season of the year, but, because of inferior quality, only a small proportion of the eggs will command top prices. Better care and attention on the farm and more frequent marketing will result in higher prices being paid to the producers.

Clyde Turner of Barnard was a business visitor in Maryville yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Peter Meyer of Conception Junction were business visitors in Maryville yesterday.

"A BULL FOR A BOND" IS SLOGAN IN COLE CO.

Farmers of that County Exchanging Bonds With Breeders of Pure-Bred Cattle.

Liberty Bonds are bringing more than par value at the Cole County rate of exchange. At the suggestion of T. F. Lueker, County Agent, the farmers of this county are exchanging these bonds with breeders of pure-bred cattle for good registered bulls. "A Bull for a Bond", is the slogan.

The exchange is a financial gain to both parties, adds R. R. Thomasson of the Missouri Agricultural Extension Service. The breeder disposes of a surplus animal for a bond that costs nothing for maintenance and returns a fair rate of interest. The farmer on the other hand replaces property that is below par value for a bull which if used to best advantages will be worth far more than one hundred cents on every dollar expended for him.

The fact that Cole County ranks third in the Better Bull Contest with 29 scrubs replaced, is an indication that Mr. Lucker's plan is meeting with hearty approval both from farmers and breeders.

Give the Boys a Chance.

The United States Department of Agriculture investigated representative farms in Indiana, Iowa and Illinois and found that farmers with a common school education had an average labor income of $301 a year. Those with high school education received a labor income of $651 a year, and those with college educations received $796 a year.

Loren Price went to Albank last night to spend two or three days at the fair.

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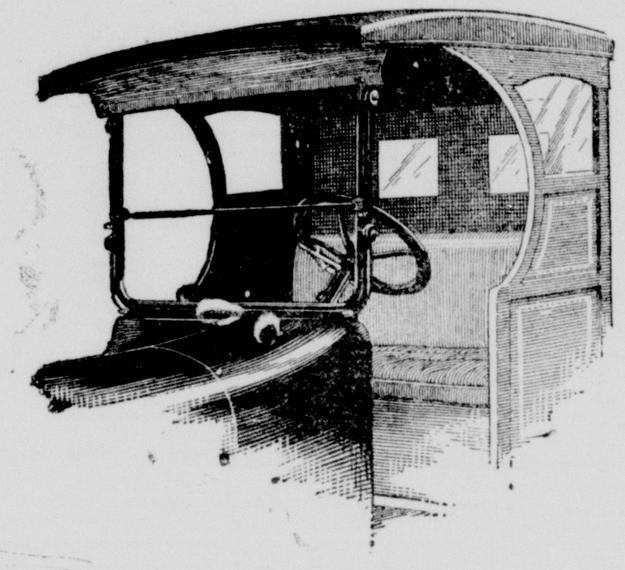

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Beginning at 10 o'clock, the following described property:

40 HEAD OF LIVESTOCK

6 HEAD OF HORSES—1 gray mare 9 years old, weight 1400, a good worker; 1 gray mare coming 10 years old, weight 1300, a good worker; 1 good sound pair of bay mares, coming 6 years old, one with colt by side; 1 yearling filley.

18 HEAD OF HOGS—16 head of shoats and 2 sows, one with pigs by side.

14 HEAD OF CATTLE—6 head of good milk cows with calves by side and one fat two-year-old heifer.

IMPLEMENTS—1 wagon, 1 Jenny Lind cultivator, practically new, 1 harrow, 1 John Deere stirring plow and other articles too numerous to mention.

HAY AND GRAIN—About 150 bu. of old corn, 2 tons of hay, about 10 acres of corn in field and some fall pasture. Also 5 dozen hens and about 6 dozen young chickens.

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